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App. No. 09/863,586
Response dated August 23, 2004
Reply to Office Action of April 26, 2004

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:	Patent application of Kenneth C. Leighley <i>et al.</i>	: Art Unit: : 2881 :
App. No.:	09/863,586	: Examiner: : Phillip A. Johnston :
Filed:	May 16, 2001	: Attorney Docket No.: : 956-97 (148330) :
For:	HAND-HELD GERMICIDAL LAMP WITH SAFETY FEATURES	:

RESPONSE TO THIRD OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 26, 2004, this amendment is being timely filed in view of a petition for a one-month extension of time. The petition for an extension of time and the appropriate fee accompany this response. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS

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